

## SUBSTANCE ABUSE

*The following are organizations who provide substance abuse services. Please visit [www.doh.dc.gov](http://www.doh.dc.gov) for recreational services that the District of Columbia Government offers.*

### **Andromeda Transcultural Health**

[www.andromedatransculturalhealth.org](http://www.andromedatransculturalhealth.org)

*Andromeda provides alcohol and drug (non-opiate) prevention, outreach, and treatment*

### **Carl Vogel Center**

[www.carlvogelcenter.com](http://www.carlvogelcenter.com)

*Carl Vogel offers substance abuse and prevention counseling for drug and alcohol related problems.*

### **HIPS- Helping Individual Prostitutes Survive**

[www.hips.org](http://www.hips.org)

*HIPS provides a syringe exchange and referrals for substance abuse treatment.*

### **La Clinica Del Pueblo**

[www.lcdp.org](http://www.lcdp.org)

*Comprehensive outpatient substance abuse treatment services are available, including support groups and referrals to detoxification and residential programs.*

### **Sexual Minority Youth Assistance League – SMYAL**

[www.smyal.org](http://www.smyal.org)

*SMYAL makes referrals for clients with substance abuse issues.*

### **The Center - Home for LGBT in Metro DC**

[www.thedccenter.org](http://www.thedccenter.org)

*The Center houses the DC Crystal Meth Working Group which consists of individual members of the local community and local organizations dedicated to providing information and resources that help people make informed choices about crystal meth. More information is available at [www.letstalkaboutmeth.org](http://www.letstalkaboutmeth.org).*

### **The Lambda Center**

[www.thelambdacenter.com](http://www.thelambdacenter.com)

*The Lambda Center provides mental health and addiction treatment for lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender adults. Treatment includes group psychotherapy, expressive therapy, recovery focused groups and educational groups. In addition to the group therapy, patients regularly meet with a counselor, psychiatrist, and the treatment team. Patients board on one of the two adult inpatient units in the hospital and attend groups on the Lambda Center Monday through Friday.*

### **Whitman-Walker Clinic**

[www.wwc.org](http://www.wwc.org)

*Whitman Walker Addiction Services provides addiction treatment to people who are GLBT and people living with HIV/AIDS. The program is staffed by addiction treatment professionals and specially trained volunteers who are geared toward helping GLBT participants take pride in their sexual identity and their recovery from addiction. Group and individual counseling are available to help address the consequences of substance abuse while transitioning to a clean and sober lifestyle.*

*The **Scott Harper House** offers temporary sober housing to clients who are enrolled in the Intensive Outpatient Program.*

**Transgender Health Empowerment Inc.**

[www.theincdc.org](http://www.theincdc.org)

*Makes referrals to substance abuse counselling programs.*

**Us Helping Us, People Into Living, Inc.**

[www.uhupil.org](http://www.uhupil.org)

*Comprehensive referral and counseling services.*